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Amendments to the Abstract of the Disclosure

Please replace, at page 35, all the paragraphs under the "Abstract of the Disclosure" with the following paragraph:

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE:

~~TITLE: A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR VERIFICATION
OF QUIESCE DATABASE COPY~~

A method is provided to verify a database copy of a primary database which has been replicated. A secondary physically consistent copy of the primary database is put in a state of quiesce while the primary database is allowed to resume update activity. The consistent copy, in a state of quiesce, can be used for database maintenance activities or as a recovery source should the primary database be damaged, but the consistent copy is first checked for integrity by using a Verify option before such recovery source is utilized.